

# *Executive Proclamation*

## *State of South Dakota*

## *Office of the Governor*

*Whereas*, The Black Hills Roundup is proud to be celebrating its historic background and 89 years in existence on July 3 – 5, 2008, in Belle Fourche, South Dakota; and,

*Whereas*, South Dakota's oldest PRCA rodeo will feature many cowboys and cowgirls of National Final Rodeo fame; and,

*Whereas*, Miss Rodeo South Dakota and Jr. Miss Rodeo South Dakota will be crowned; and,

*Whereas*, The 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade and many activities, including a carnival, arts, entertainment, class reunions, family reunions, and a fireworks display will be occurring:

*Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds*, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim July 3 – 5, 2008, as

## *BLACK HILLS ROUNDUP DAYS*

in South Dakota.



*In Witness Whereof*, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-second Day of May in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Eight.

A handwritten signature of M. Michael Rounds.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

A handwritten signature of Chris Nelson.

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State